A hope for me and a hope for you. Every day is a fresh beginning: Listen, my soul, to the glad refraint And, spite of old sorrow and older sinning Take heart with the day, and begin ago

THE PRETTY ORPHAN.

"She's a great deal too pretty," said Mrs. Black, energetically twitching her needle through the stocking she was darn-Mr. Black looked puzzled. He was an

excellent business man, but he did not understand the complication of domestic diplomacy. "Well, my dear, that isn't her fault, is it?" said he. "Her fault? No! Who said it was?"

snapped his wife. "You don't understand, Black!" "No, I suppose I don't," he returned meekly. "But I must confess I think it's rather hard to turn the poor girl adrift, after you have formally adopted her out

of the asylum. And she such a good girl, "I thought it would be so nice to have a daughter," sighed Mrs. Black.

"And wasn't it nice?" "Yes, but I never thought of her growing up so pretty, and Frank falling in love

uldn't she make a good little wife for Frank?" "Black, you talk like a child. Our boys must marry rich. And Lilia must

go away!" "I don't care; anywhere, so that she will not be a stumbling block in Frank's path. For I have set my heart on Frank marrying Priscilla Grant. She has propshe will be a suitable match "Yes, but my dear," hesitated Mr. Black, "suppose your precautions come too late? Suppose she has already learned

to care for Frank?" "Then she must unlearn, that is all," said Mrs. Black, sharply. "Lilia is a nice girl enough, but she must be taught to gnow her place. I shall send her to Aunt Agnew-she has written to me for some sort of a companion, and I think it is likely that Lilia will meet her wishes and ideas. At all events she will be gotten out of Frank's way. And Frank and Edward must be our first consideration, you

So Lilia Redburn was called in-a dimpled, dark eyed girl, with coral red lips and a shy, bewitching way of looking at you from under her long eyelashes, and told without much unnecessary preamble that she was to be transferred to the roof of Miss Abigail Agnew, her adopted

father's aunt. She listened quietly; Lilia was not one of those who wear their hearts and tongues upon their sleeves; but her poor little heart sank down, down, like a lump of lead in her bosom. And that night she

cried herself to sleep. Miss Abigeil Agnew was sitting in her curious little room that evening when Lilia Redburn-was announced. It was a quaint room, and Miss Agnew was a quaint woman, shriveled, ancient and bowed over, with gold spectacles gleaming before her eyes, and priceless yellow lace, quilled after an antique fashion, around her neck. "Come in, Lilia, come in," said the old lady. "You see I know your name. Price," to the maid, "bring the tea and toast. You can't eat anything? Pshaw, you must eat! I'm not one to be trifled with, and I say you must eat. What made

Lilia colored scarlet and dropped her lids before the sharp, jetty fire of the old lady's eyes. "I hope not, ma'am. I tried to do my best. I-I don't know exactly why she

girl, eh?

sent me here." "I do, then," said Miss Agnew, pouring the tea out of a chased silver teapot into a china set as delicate and transparent as gilded egg shells. "You were too pretty, my dear."

"But we won't discuss the question any further, my dear," said the old woman, "drink your ten and go to bed. To-morrow we will commence our duties!" Lilla Redburn was very happy in her new house. Miss Agnew was peculiar, but there was a kernel of real honest kindness beneath the dry and uninviting husk

she was not happy.
"Lilia," she said one day, suddenly, "do you want to go back to my nephew Lilia burst into tears, and made her

simple confession in one syllable. "Why? Tell me honestly and truly,

my darling." patting the blooming check with her withered hand. "Did you love Frank Black?" "Frank? O, Miss Agnew, no! I wouldn't care-only for Ned!" "Ned, eh?" said the old lady, scratching

her nose with the sticks of her pearl fan. "Ned, I know, I ought not to think of him," went on Lilia, hiding her face on complaining, but it is hard!" "Does he love you, my dear?"

taking refuge behind the long lashes. the old lady.
"Yes, I think he does," confessed Lilia.

"Well, it's a queer world we live in,"

Three days afterward Mrs. Black received a short note from Miss Abigail DEAR NIECE-You have not been to see

Lilia since she came here. She is a good, affectionate girl, and I think she feels your neglect. But I write particularly to say that I have concluded to adopt a daughter of my own and settle all my little property upon her. ("Little property!" ejaculated Mrs. Black, with a convulsive gasp, "and she is worth a quarter due to all my relatives to notify them of

very truly, ANN ARIGAIL AGNEW.

One minute Mrs. Black sat twisting the tle-and then she had resolved upon her

"Ned must go and see his aunt," she declared.

"There spoke the woman!" observed her husband. "You want to make a match between Ned and this new whim of Aunt Agnew's. I dare say she's a little

"There is at least the chance," said Mrs. Black decidedly. "He can make an excuse of bringing Lilia home to visit

"I'd like to see dear little Lilia again," said the old gentleman. "Nobody thinks about airing the newspaper and warming my slippers now that Lilia is gone." "She was a good girl enough," said Mrs. Black, "only a deal too pretty. But now that Frank is away at the White

mountains11 ---summons of Malvina, the cook, her head full of her youngest son, and the fortunate damsel who was to inherit the golden showers of Aunt Agnew's wealth.

ever to go to Aunt Agnew's. "Of course I'll go," said he. "And I'll bring Lilia back for a good visit. I say, mother, I've been intending to tell you for some time that I mean to marry Lilia Redburn!"

"Ned!" "I do," stoutly asserted the young man. "She's good, and she's pretty, and I love

sweetest girl in the world, and I won't hear a word against her We shall be poor, but I am willing to work for her.' And he walked out of the room with the dignity and resolution of one who is thor- Bulgarian towns on the Danube. oughly in earnest. And Mrs. Black began to cry and wonder whether Frank, away in the White mountains, was too far compromised to Miss Priscilla Grant to admit of his entering the lists for Aunt nev. s heiress.

Failing any more satisfactory method of solving the problem, Mrs. Black resolved herself to accompany the rebel, Ned, to Aunt Agnew's. "Dear Aunt Abigail," she sighed, as Lilia ran upstairs with her shawl and bonnet, "what am I to do? Here is Ned persisting that he will marry Lilia Red-

burn!"
"Well, I guess the best way is to let him marry her," said Miss Agnew. "You can't either lock him up or bind him over to keep the scace, so far as I see. But you haven't asked to see my adopted

"I came on purpose to be introduced her," said Mrs. Black. "How old is

"About 18." Mrs. Black heaved a spasmodic sigh. "Oh, Ned! Ned! if only you had kept that rebellious heart of yours safe in your own possession!" she thought, adding "And pretty?" "Well, people say so. Here she comes

Mrs. Black stretched her neck this way and that to see behind Lilia, who just then came into the room, blushing and

"Where? Pardon me-I may be dull, but I don't see?" "I have adopted Lilia Redbura," said Miss Agnew, dryly.
"And Lilia Redburn has promised to

be my wife," said Ned Black, over the new heiress' shoulder. "So I don't see but that Aunt Abigail will have to adopt us both!" "I'll take the matter into considera-

tion," said the old lady. "But I hope you are satisfied now, Niece Black!" "Perfectly," cried the maneuvering mother, "perfectly!"

For luck had borne the little vessel of her hopes and fears safe into a golden port .- New York News.

A Remarkable Faith Cure Reported.

The Pittsburg papers report a remarka ble faith cure from Banksville, a mining town two miles from the city. As the story goes, Maggie Beadling, the 16 year old daughter of a coal miner, had been bedridden. Frequently of late she had lain in seed oil mills, in opposition to the American a trance, or comatose state, for days, and | Cotton Oil Trust Company. when she would return to consciousness she would tell her friends that she had her transition she told the names and de- to upwards of 625 agencies. scribed the appearance of relatives who had died before she was born, and of others whom she knew when they were alive. In October and November last she lay in a Budget Committee without debate. comatose state for several weeks, during which time she partook only of a small quantity of liquid food, administered to cation to the effect that at 2 P. M. on February 17, she would be raised from an invalid's bed entirely restored to health. the thermometer going down to 16 degrees, Thursday afternoon, it is asserted, her with the wind blowing a gale. father's house was filled with friends and curiosity seekers. Promptly at 2 o'clock the young girl arose from her chair with duties on sugar and tobacco shipped from her hands and, flinging them aside, walked Cuba. about the room, to the overwhelming asseemed complete, and she jumped about the room like a child. The news was noised about, and almost the entire population of Banksyille turned out to see the wonderful case. Her parents wept for joy, and the greatest excitement prevailed. Miss run collieries, and that there is no hope of my niece, Black, send you away? Naughty Beadling was seen by several reporters, recovering them.

Senate bill providing for the repayment of it is said at the White House that there the direct tax collected from the States will be surely no extra session of Congress. under the act of 1861. Whether there will The Inter-State Commerce Commissioners be time, in view of the backwardness of and a successor to Secretary Manning will the appropriation bills, is a question. Mr. be appointed in a few days. Culberson, of Texas, offered in committee a substitute for the bill, which, had it been agreed to, would have largely benefitted the South. It was based on the idea that \$300,000. What will be done with it is not Branch railroad. On the first ballot in the the Senate bill only carried with it partial justice. This substitute retained all the of her outward manner, and Lilia soon contrived to penetrate to it. Yet she sighed often—and Miss Agnew knew that States had paid and the remission of that maids. Other women are very like the contribution of the contribution part which was still due, but it went fur ther and provided that the States be paid all the amounts which were due to them by the United States government and which friends to decline the Speakership next had been withheld on account of their in- year and assume the free trade leadership debtedness to the government, growing out on the floor, with the expectation of walkof the direct tax; that the owners of land sold for non-payment of taxas be returned the amount paid at the saies, after deducted the Gardiner disaster on the Alabama river

held in trust for the producers. A Washington Scandal.

Miss Abigail's lap, 'because I am only a club circles which is now on every tongue. Were found Sunday frozen to death ten poor orphan and his parents are proud and So much is this story turned over that it is rods from the home of a neighbor. ambitious of him, as it is right and natural they should be. I don't complain; pray, pray, dear Miss Agnew, don't think I'm lished in the World. The story involves an ex diplomat who was once ar ornament "He never told me so," faltered Lilia, time it has been a source of wonder how the repeal of the prohibitory liquor law. this retired official manages to live and go tune. Recently a well-known public man workmen, who had anticipated an advance missed some valuable jewels from his house. said Miss Agnew, apparently addressing | He placed the matter in the hands of a pri- in wages. herself to the parrot, "when love can't | vate detective, who traced the missing artiherself to the parrot, "when love can't hold its own against money. Get your hat, Lilia, and we'll go for a walk. I can't stay in the house when I'm irritated can't stay in the house when I'm irrit had been devoted to her, received and disposed of them-whether for himself or the lady in question has not been made clear. No arrests have made. The private detective was paid a handsome sum to drop the case.

Serious Trouble in Kansas.

A bloody feud exists between the towns communities are in arms. Particulars of roustabouts were fatally scalded and engiof a million!") My lawyer thinks it is Sunday's low show that whatever ill-feeling neer Frank Good was also hadly injured. may be at the bottom of it, it was brought No other serious damage was done. this fact, so no more at present from yours. | on by a drunken spree of three Lcoti men | Dispatches received from Sofia say that named Cutter, Raynes and Watkins, who the troops of the garrison of Silistria rewound up a day's carouse by taking out of volted yesterday evening and pronounced note around and around in her fingers, bed a druggist who was sick and whom against the regency. Troops are marching while her husband drew a long, low whist they compelled to dance by shooting at his to Silistria from Rustchuk, Varna and toes. The protests of the druggist's friends | Shumla to quell the mutiny. were resented by Cutter's party, who began shooting to kill. This brought upon them shooting to kill. This brought upon them
the concentrated fire of the Coronado men,
and Cutter, Raynes and Watkins were ridday, reports that a Chinese junk, bound
from Haisiu for Siam, has been wrecked, lled with bullets. Cutter had during his ater hours been rejuforced by several and that out of 600 persons, comprising friends, some of whom were hurt and who her passengers and grow, only six are known inflicted considerable damage on the Coro- to have escaped. nado party. Four men are dead, three are seriously, perhaps fatally, wounded, and bill appropriating \$1,800 to aid in the erection account is taken of any hurt less than tion by the Southern States of a monutotal disability. Further trouble is feared ment the memory of George Peabody, the next Thursday, when the county election | philanthropist. The measure was disis to take place. The general impression cussed at length and defeated by a vote of is that military force will be necessary to 14 to 10. keep the peace.

Suit Decided.

All Knights of Honor are familiar with the suit which has been for some time S. Wisc, of Richmond, Va.; Vice-Presi-pending between the order and Robert J. dent, James B. Page, of Richmond; Treas-Breckenridge, brought against him and his turer, John T. Moore, of New York. ondsmen, at Louisville, Ky., for \$33,000,

We ought not to be too anxious to encourage untried innovation, in cases of
doubtful improvement. For a quarter of

We ought not to be too anxious to enfor either McDonald or Thurman, one
for either Harper or Weaver, one for the
nominee of the Republican party, one for
the water at Albany and paddle down a century Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy has been before the public and passed through the severest test, and is pronounced the most reliable remedy for that disagreeable malady. Thousands of testimonials of its virtues for contract the public and passed through the winter race meeting at New Orleans, and J. T. Williams, a well known turfman, has assumed control, and will continue the meeting until the expiration of the lease of the Republican party, one for Sherman because he did not think Blaine could be elected, one for either Biaine or Sherman, but regarded Foraker as a very strong candidate, and was inclined to give the track, March 26th.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

Cholera has appeared in Sicily. State of siege has been proclaimed at all Ex-Alderman O'Neill was taken to Sing Sing prison to serve out his sentence. Cotton Seed Oil Trust certificates are be ing largely dealt in in the money market. Two negro incendiaries were hanged at

Sidon, Miss., yesterday by a mob.

Liberals and Socialists. Failures for the week-United States 203, Canada 26, total 229, against 209 last week. In consequence of the inter-State law, the railroads are raising rates all along the

There is a split between the new German

be all dead.

were burned to death.

propriation Act goes into effect.

maica report having felt the shock.

The Senate has confirmed the appoint

A band of over 200 armed men appeared

before the jail at San Marcos, Texas, and

assaulted Mrs. Patteson, a highly respecta-

been supplied with new rifles. Officers

throughout the monarchy have been ordered

been purchasing supplies from Loggins and

had become involved. He failed to bring

Mr. Loggins went to see him about it, and

was murdered by the negro, who had pre-

pared himself for the horrible work. Log-

gins was found cut to pieces. The mur

A colored man who cleans the Pennsyl

rania railroad ferry house at Jersey City

HE WILL PREACH NO MORE.

The Rev. Dr. Armstrong Renounces the Chris-

tion Ministry.

becoming a minister.

the space of five years.

he was still a minister.

strong will never preach again.

Since his conviction he has been in the

insurance business. Although suspended,

In Augusta a short time ago he attended

he was intoxicated there. He denied it,

loweyer, and his friends denied it. Within

When spoken to about the matter by a

the doctor desires to relieve the Episcopal

Church from any responsibility whatever

for his action, and desires to be relieved of

that he could not, with consistency, or

with dignity or peace, maintain a relation

were unfriendly to him, whether justly or

unjustly. He felt that he would have to

either renounce the ministry of the church

or leave Atlanta, which he had determined

to make his home. He chose the former

"I do not know," he said. "For the

Another Legislature Polled.

A correspondent of the Cincinnati En-

strong would do in the future.

Armstrong, said, however:

COULTSE

the last two weeks a number of affidavits

mortgage note at the trustee's sale, and

contracts to be hurried.

derer escaped.

safe keeping.

Frank W. Foster. Town Clerk and Treasurer of Greenfield, Mass., is a defaulter to the extent of over \$14,000. Fifteen buildings and contents were de-

stroved at South Boston, Va. Loss, \$150,-The Senate has confirmed the nomination of Daniel Magone as Collector of Cus-

toms at New York. Beede & Bray, lumber dealers of Minneapolis, Minn., have assigned. Liabilities from \$90,000 to \$150,000.

The British Parliament has been asked grant another quarter of a million pounds for the expense of the navy. The Texas investigation goes monoto nously on. It will have been completed in the next fiscal year, when the regular apdue time for the fall campaign.

The National Printers' Protective Fraternity are in session at Kansas City. The convention will last three days. In the Texas investigation, counsel for the prosecution commenced the submission

of evidence in rebuttal. Isabel Hankins, wife of P. Hankins, re siding on Mr. L. M. Westbury's place, in Colleton, gave birth recently to three children.

Herr Wedell Presdorf was elected Presi dent of the Reichstag. He received 184 votes. Two ballots were cast for Windtherst, and 99 were cast blank. At least two important measures failed to pass Congress-the defficiency bill con-

ment of Capt. A. W. Greely to be chief signal officer, with the rank of brigadier taining the South Carolina Volunteers appropriation, and the fortifications bill. general, and James M. Trotter to be re-The compositors on all the newspapers corder of deeds of the District of Columbia. and job offices in Milwaukee, Wis., went On the confirmation of Trotter the vote out on a strike for an advance of 5 cents in stood 30 to 11. Of the minority. only, Senators Ingalls, Sabin and Palmer, the price of composition. Mr. Armour and his party are in the are Republicans.

Adams Express Company has extended its service over the entire system of the been to Heaven. In proof of the story of Ohio and Mississippi railway, amounting

South with a view of establishing cotton

The Hungarian delegation have unanimously voted urgency for the special mili tary credit, and referred the matter to the

The National Zeitung says a third donation of \$2,500 has been received from her by attendants. When she revived she American Socialists to assist in the election claimed to have received divine communi- of Socialist candidates to the Reichstag. At Winchester, Va., Sunday night was one of the severest nights of the winter.

> The Queen of Spain has signed a decree making 20 per cent. reduction in the export

General J. J. Finley, of Ocala, Fla., has tonishment of those present. The cure been appointed by Governor Perry United States Senator to succeed the Hon. Charles W. Jones. Advices from St. Etienne, France, say

that 70 men are still entombed in the Beath and she pronounced herself well. It is the belief among the neighbors that the young N. Y., destroyed a large part of the town.

The Academy of Music, New York, was sold at auction to Wm. B. Dinsmore, Pres ident of the Adams Express Company, for

The Queen of Roumania, it is said, fre-Queen, only they do not confine their lectures to their maids.

learned.

Speaker Carlisle is being urged by his ing into the White House thereafter. The negro boy who saved five lives in

costs, etc., that the amounts collected under is Bebe McCaw, of Mobile. He has a the tax on raw cotton be refunded to the reputation for cool courage, and his recent Southern States, which amounts should be heroism elicited high praise from all quarters. 2178. Edminster and son, living six miles

from Henry, Dakota, left that town on There is a scandal agitating social and Friday with a horse and sleigh. They A petition from the merchants and business men of Providence, R. I., represent-

ing about \$40,000,000, was presented to the in the American foreign service. For some Rhode Island Congral Assembly asking for The Western Iron Association met at "Does he love you, I say?" reiterated about in good society as he has done, as every one knew that he had no private for- to the great disappointment of the iron in the price and a corresponding increase

> An incendiary fire occurred at Floyd taken the jewels, and the ex-official who forage and farming implements. No insurance. Loss not known.

A sew trotting association has been or- the Constitution's information is that he did ganized at Detroit, Michigan. The States so last Saturday. represented are Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, Connecticut, Wisconsin, New York, Kansas, Zentucky, Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri, Minnesota, Pennsylvania and Indiana. not taik. He was much surprised that the news had gotten out. He said he had

The steamer Fleetwood, 2n route from nothing whatever to say concerning the Louisville to Cincinnati, burst her steam matter, but would let his course become of Coronado and Leoti, Kansas, and both pipe near Lawrenceburg, Indiana. Three public through the regular channel.

any responsibility to the ministry. The reasons for this, I believe, are that he felt The steamer Gaelic from China and Jawith a courch, the authorities of which

The Tennessee Senate has rejected the

The New York and Southern Telegraph him to public speaking, and I believe that Company, successor to the bankrupt South will be his final course in some form or ern Telegraph Company, was organized other.' with the following officers: President, Juo. dent, James B. Page, of Richmond; Treas-

A peremptory decree has been issued at the order day and resulted in a verdict being of the west to go to Aunt Agnew's.

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"Of course I'll go," said he. "And I'll ring least a deficit in his accounts as Treas-the order. The case went to trial the other day and resulted in a verdict being entered against Breckenridge for \$25, and the formal special at the order. The case went to trial the other day and resulted in a verdict being entered against Breckenridge for \$25, and the first find in the lead to their virginia Legislature in regard to their virginia Le A peremptory decree has been issued at ferred.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE. ings. The government did not dare refuse an investigation. The sittings of the in-

Facts. Theories and Experiences in Every vestigating committee will be public. Governor Fitzhugh Lee of Virginia de-Wrinkles are due chiefly to a certain shrinknies that his recent visit to the Northwest age of the muscles. A shrinkage that charhad any political motive, and also denies acterizes, more or less, the entire system in any aspiration to the Vice-Presidency, though he thinks a Southern man ought to

natural to old age as is a full, smooth face to receive the Democratic nomination. An explosion occurred in the Beaubrun While wrinkles result from the natural collieries, at St. Etienne, France. Only working of the system these may also be 80 men were in the mine at the time of the raused prematurely by a preverted condition explosion. Six of these have been rescued of the system. There is nothing like care or unhurt, four have been taken out more or worriment to plow furrows in the forehead less injured, and the others are supposed to and bring lines between and around the eyes, and these are marring greatly the faces of The Union League is on a great big war our American women. One sees constantly ath and cries out that the Democrats, by women of 35 whose foreheads are more

Day Life.

fraud, are capturing the country, and pray wrinkled than the brow ought to be at 70. for a check. They lament the loss of the House to the Republicans and fear for the Senate. They were in meeting in Wash-The baby's feet are seldom properly cared for. This statement will astonish fond ington. D. C., and did a heap of talking. Fire in New York destroyed three frame mothers, but it is true. These little feet houses on Eighth Avenue, Nos. 690, 692

have two great needs, namely: Warmth and plenty of room. Constant care is required and 694, a better class of tenement houses that the restless heels and toes do not kick inhabited by colored people. A colored woman named Sarah L. Johnston, and her | away blankets and become purple and cold with undue exposure. When the little one adopted daughter, May Johnston, aged six, begins to walk bear in mind that the cold quickly penetrates the soft hose and thin Owing to the failure of the deficiency bill soles of baby's shoes. In nine times out of the recent Act of Congress extending the ten when the little toddlers fret and cry a free delivery system to cities and towns having not less than 10,000 inhabitants or a remedy will be found for this discomfort in exposing their feet to a warm fire. Dispostal revenue of not less than \$10,000 becretion is also needed when selecting shoes comes inoperative until the beginning of for the baby; see to it that the width of sole, and height of instep and circuit of boot top, are enough and more than enough for the re-An earthquake shock was felt on the quirements of chubby, fast growing feet and south side of Long Island about 4.30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Windows on Fire

Massage Treatment Island rattled, and the Observatory was shaken, the vibrations lasting several min-While the massage treatment has been emutes. Babylon and villages west to Jaployed of late years with much success as a ure for many ailments, a correspondent in Acting Secretary Fairchild has instructed Nineteenth Century calls attention to the the Assistant Treasurer at New York to necessity of avoiding masseurs who have not a thorough knowledge of the art, as disasforward the trade dollars as fast as rede-med trous results follow from the violent treatment to the assay office, where they will be meltto which ignorant persons subject their ed into bars of convenient sizes, representing \$1,500, and stored in that office until patients. Dr. Hunerfauth, who is recognized authority, deprecates massage by suitable vault rooms are provided for their machinery, as he considers that much delicacy is necessary in treating the complicated

nervous system of the human frame. Massage, combined with hygienic gymna tics, was practiced by the Indians and Chinese, if we may believe history, many centuries before the birth of Christ. It is therefore not a new treatment, as many suppose, but a revival of bygone ages.

Useful Hints.

Do not pack away clothing worn just before some member of the family was taken compelled the janitor to surrender the keys. ill. Always air such garments well, and in They then took from his cell a colored boy cases of scarlet fever or diphtheria disinfect named Trin Blocker and hanged him to a them, even though they were not worn after tree. Last Tuesday Blocker unsuccessfully the patient became ill. Clothing worn by children just previous to an attack of scarlet fever and put away without airing has been All the principal garrisons throughout known, months after, to convey the disease Austria have begun practicing with re-peaters. All the troops at Vienna have

Sunlight and Disease Germs. Duclaux has studied the influence of sunlight on the vitality of micrococci. A. few to be ready to march at any time within 20 hours. The Sunday observance act has hours' exposure to the sunlight weakened the been suspended to allow work on army pathogenic micrococci and finally killed them. The inference is that sunlight is a R. V. Loggins, a prominent merchant of universal hygienic agent, one that is most Winona, Wis., was murdered by Alexan- active and powerful, common to both private der Crawford, colored. Crawford had and public sanitation.

SOCIAL ETIQUETTE. Manners and Usuages Practiced in Polite

Society. If good taste is important in dress it is far more important in manner, says Mrs. John Sherwood, and here we must pause to pay picked up a small glass bottle from behind the door of the gentlemen's toilet room in the depot at midnight. The bottle, which irresistible effect. In a word their faculties acthe exuberance of a mind capable of higher Contrary to the expectations of the friends of the measure, the House Judiciary Committee has agreed to report favorably the Scenetic Miles agreed to report favorable Miles agre There is something in the American tem-

The New Jersey Republican legislators spent yesterday in caucus to determine to unseemly extravagance sometimes.

We are all the slaves of our tempera We are all the slaves of our temperaments. upon a Democrat for whom they should The people born to work and to be anxious rote for Senator, with a view to beating cannot help working and being anxious. Governor Aobest. They could not agree People born to talk cannot help talking. upon ex-Gov. Bedle nor Gaucellor Bun People born to danstee mu dance. People yon, but selected Rufus Blodgett, who is born to whistle must whistle. It is the oxy-Superintendent of the New York and Long | gen, and with a gay and laughing woman this excess becomes what one may call a tenjoint legislative session, Abliest received 28 dency to be bouncing, while a nervous and and Blodgett 39 votes. On second ballot dyspep ic person will have the fidgets. That Blodgett received 41, just enough to elect is the most terrible disease, excepting the him. 112, therefore, succeeds Sewell, a nettle rash in all the category of human affliction; it is the torture of the real attraction. rash of the mind.

English women are much calmer. In the first place their climate calms them. Then their husbands are not half so indulgent. We must remember if we find American women querulous and disposed to become exigeante, as to diamonds and fine clothes, that half of them have been spoiled. There is an absence J. G. Armstrong by the ecclesiastical court, which is a delight. They talk of ideas more on charges of intovication and conduct unthan of people. Much in their manner is to

of supposing that they are. a lady and her maid are very confidential and quite inseparable. The word "mistress" is now almost never used in America. The poet, with his morbid nature, look on the an insurance banquet. It is claimed that uttermost stretch on the part of an employe same picture with different eyes."-Exwould be to use the words "the lady."

A young lady should never forget her ball

have been made to the effect that he was intoxicated at the banquet, or on the day afterward. These affidavits were lodged ful not to offend one gentleman by refusing with the authorities of the church, and an to dance with him and then accepting the Episcopal minister wrote to Dr. Armstrong offer of another. Such things done by that the only way to avoid another trial was frivolous girls injure a young man's feelings to renounce the ministry. Dr. Armstrong unnecessarily, and give her acquaintances at once telegraphed that he would renounce cause to call her rude. the ministry of the Episcopal Church, and A young man, it need hardly be told.

should not forget that he has asked a young lady for a german. He must send her a bouquet and be on hand to dance with her. If Constitution reporter, Dr. Armstrong would kept away by sickness or other good cause he must send her a note before the appointed hour. It is not necessary to take leave of your hostess at a ball. All that she requires of you is to bow to her on entering, and to make yourself as agreeable and happy as you A gentleman, who is a friend of Dr. can while in her house. "The letter has been written. I have not

Finger Bowls. seen it, but I understand that it recites that Finger bowls are always in fashion, being at any meal where fruit is eaten. The usual small or medium size and place the finger bowl on this. There should be one finger bowl for each guest.

Twenty Miles of La, a. The steamer Australia, which arrived at

San Francisco on the 24th, from Honolulu, brings full particulars of the great lava The gentleman was as agd what Dr. Armscribed as magnificent, beyond description. ures left in the two calendars, representing The column of fire was first observed from work in committee and elsewhere which present, at least, he will continue in the the summit of the crater on the night of would have taken the lifetime of any law-January 16. The fire died down before yer had it been performed by one. service of the Equitable Insurance Commidnight, but great volcanic disturbances dreds of the measures which die with this continued up to the night of the 18th, when Congress have occupied as many as a half pany, which is pleasant and profitable. I think, however, his whole inclination leads him to public speaking, and I believe that fire and lava again burst forth from the dozen meetings of committees composed of mountain side. The length of the lava from 9 to 15 members, most of whom are flow is estimated at 20 miles. This dis- active workers and whose time, devoted to tance the lava accomplished in two days, law, medicine, or other professions or other spreading as it descended, reaching the sea | business, would command high remuneraon the evening of January 20. The stream tion. Most of the measures which have of lava continued to flow without inter- died on the calendars are of a private naguirer has polled the members of the West ruption until the 29th, when a river of fire turn-for Gains, pensions, stee, but more

the water at Albany and paddle down the Hudson river to New York. I wish to show Colonel Gilder's brother that my way is the only feasible way to reach

BRECKENRIDGE AND BENJAMIN. How the Two Men Made Their Escape

from the Country. In the summer of 1875 I met Gen. Breck enridge in Richmond, and one Sunday afternoon we were sitting alone in front the later period of life, hence wrinkles are as | of the Ballard hotel. I asked hom, if not unpleasant, it would be gratifying to have him give an account of his escape after the downfall of the Confederacy, and how it occurred that Mr. Benjamin was separated from him. He replied that he would cheerfully do so, and said that after following Mr. Davis some distance on the retreat he became satisfied that Mr. Davis had persisted in, capture would be certain and inevitable. "I decided to pursue a different course, and, taking with me some Mr. Davis and his escort and struck off for the Florida coast. Soon afterward I met with some soldiers of the Federal ciple. - Anderson Journal. army. They did not recognize me, and nothing specially occurred to cause me to apprehend my arrest or safety. I passed

they seem to be aware who I was."

early life to hunt and travel in the night in Kentucky, I recalled the experience of my youth, and adapted myself to change of circumstances, traveling incognito and with a few faithful and fearless followers. In a short time, with nothing specially perilous during the journey, we reached the coast in safety. We then procured a small boat and a supply of provisions, which were easily obtained, as I was supplied with some gold, and with a small pocket compass which I always carried with me, and with J. Taylor Wood and two others in an open boat we started for the coast of Cuba. In two days and three nights of the most delightful and propitious weather we landed within one mile of the island, our only guide being my pocket compass. Capt. Wood fell overboard during the voyage, but was soon hauled in, and was not the least disconcerted or alarmed. He was one of the bravest of men. After reaching Cuba I found friends and accommodations; remained there a brief time and then went to Paris and back eventually to Canada. The bal-ance you are no doubt familiar with."

"Where was Mr. Benjamin?" I asked "He remained with me only a day after leaving Mr. Davis. He was aremarkable man, could adapt himself to any society or circumstances; could speak French German and other languages fluently. He traveled through the country as a Jew merchant and sailed from Charleston, so

pleasant and courteous during the conversation, but increasing age, disappointed hopes and his varied experiences in life have plainly changed his appearance from the well proportioned and erect physical manhood and handsome and striking physiognomy which excited my admiration when a college student in Washington city in 1858, where I often saw him preside with such splendid ability and

The Slow and Deliberative Jap. The Jap is very slow and deliberate. and everything is done on a small scale.

The houses are diminutive and the rooms like closets. Because of my desire to teach the true religion to them I have endeavered to win their confidence, and to New York women a compliment. They are do this have always acted as though I were ensy yet judicious and acute; witty and play- one of them. On reaching the house of the fal, with great skill in exposing ridicule; a lady on whom I wish to call I leave my turn for satire, which they indulge in, not al- shoes at the door and enter the room. The ways in the best natured manner, yet with | floor is covered with mats three feet long by two and a half wide, lying close tomeaningless phrases. Three bows are made, the head touching the floor between the hands, which are placed directly in front, each bow made slowly, the head being held on the floor about the space of being held on the floor about the space of being held on the floor about the space of being held on the floor about the space of being held on the floor about the space of all blood rem dies 215 Reynolds stratt.

After the salutation tea is brought and placed in front of me on a little table about a foot high, and each one in the room is served in the same manner. There is no furniture in the room, no decorations on the walls save in some houses one or two scrolls. Many of the pieces of brica-brac received from that country are bric-a-brac received from that country are known. made especially for the export trade. For instance, these minute fans which you have used so extensively in decorations were unknown to me in Japan, and the little cups and saucers, so artistically and tastefully colored and so prized by you Americans, were made expressly for you, for the Jap never drinks his tea from a cup with a handle.-Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Other Side of the Shingle. Kate Sauborn, writing in The Boston

than of people. Much in their manner is to meeting, where a melancholy young contended to their aristocratic form of vert rose and enumerated various reasons superior. No one has forgotten the general regret government. It's a perpetual lesson of dig- for discouragement in the decline of this | For Board and Tuition in everything over the announcement of Dr. Armstrong's nity. Even if kings and queens and counts and that good thing. An old deacon rose, conviction and the subsequent sentence of are not always models, there is a certain digthe Bishop silencing his cioquent voice for nity of manner produced by the mere effect and said: Twe been considerably interested in Brother B.'s remarks, but I tell The sequel to that memorable trial and sentence may be read to day. Dr. Arm
or supposing that they are.

It is a curious fact regarding the state of sentence may be read to day. Dr. Arm
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change.

Quixotic Youngsters. Every time a circus or wild west show room engagements. She ought also to be care- comes here with Indians, cowboys, etc., we are sure to have arrests of youngsters who want to get off to the prairies. They first catch the fever from reading cheap and thrilling romances which are sup posed to give pictures of western life, and the sight of real live Indians and cowboys fires their imagination to such a pitch that they will let nothing stand in the way of accomplishing their Quixotic enterprises. The first act is usually to steal from their parents, as money is the first necessity. Then they provide themselves with rifles, revolvers and knives .- Police Sergeant in Globe-Democrat.

English Political Partisanship. Political partisanship has been brought to a fine point, when the opinion expressed by a newspaper on a volume of poetry is favorable or unfavorable, according as too great a convenience to be dispensed with. the poet and the paper accord in politics, These are quite as necessary for a small din- or the reverse. Looking through a numper as for a large one, and are also in order | ber of English reviews of Tennyson's last book, we find the Conservative papers alplan is to lay a small napkin on a plate of most unanimous in lauding it to the skies, and the Liberal papers in condemning it. Only The Times and Daily News are fairly impartial.—New Orleans Times Democrat.

The Departing Congress Leaves Ca Bills to the Number of 2,000.

No Congress has left such cumbersome calenders as the 49th, which expired at reasonable rates. Use Marks' flow from Mauna Loa. The sight is de- noon to-day. There are about 2,000 meas-

Three were for either Blaine or Sherman, will be of a rather novel kind. "Just as rine is called. It's famy, a, any rate, how

A driving rod on an engine of the passenger train on the Baltimore and Obio road broke two miles from Tiflin, and struck minx!" hysterically sobbed Mrs. Black. "Have I then been warming a viper in my bosom all these years!"

An oil well, unlike a dude, gushes to my bosom all these years!

"Mother." said Ned, "Lilia is the "Mother

The Iron-Clad Prohibition Law.

Unless the supporters of the prohibition movement in this county are prepared to support the enactment of a law making it misdemeanor for any one to drink intoxicating liquors as a beverage, and providing that a wife and children can be brought into court and made to testify whether a suspected man has at any time taken a drink in his own house since the enactment of the law, what kind of liquor he drank, where he got it, and how much he has on and-unless they can go to this extent seems to us that they cannot well support the Murray bill. We have never said selected the most dangerous route, and to aught against the right of the people to continue under his guidance, which he say whether or not they will license the open sale of intoxicating liquors, and we have never questioned the moral advantages of total abstinence, but we do dear trusty men and as few as possible, left the right of the people to vote legislation bearing on individual morals, and we ob-ject to such a proposition being put forth Mr. Davis, as I predicted, was captured. under the clock of a great Caristian prin-

At the Mount sinni Poker Ciub.

a squad of them in a gallop, but no demon-It is Mr. Blumenthal's deal, and Mr. stration was made against me, nor did Cohen polishes his glasses hurriedly with a He then said: "Having been familiar in

> 'Oxguse me," replies Mr. Cohen, with out removing his eyes from the pack; riffs no addention to diamonds on Chakey Biumenthal's deal. I vas lookin' for glubs.

A Strong Shock.

ROME, March 3.-Continued tremors were felt throughout Riviera to-day. A

-New York Sun.

strong shock occurred at Reggio de Cola One person was excavated alive to-day PRICE \$1.00, on SIX BOTTLES for \$5.00. from the ruins at Diano Marino, and a whole family was rescued from a cellar in Eggia. They had all been immersed since the first shocks occurred. The engineers Buffalo, N. Y. report that only a few houses are safe in Oneglia, and it will be necessary to build buts for the accommodation of 7,000 per sons rendered homeless by the earthquake

New York's retail liquor dealers are boycotting the pool brewers.

EX. GOV. A. H. STEPHENS' COUSIN. I am first cousin of the late Ex-Governor

merchant and sailed from Charleston, so I learned."

I made a memorandum of this conversation at the time and this is a verbatim report.

Gen. Breckenridge was exceedingly pleasant and courteens during the conversation and courteens during the conversation. humbug, as I had tried many without relief Finally I was induce to use B.B. B., whol was about the 1st of February, and continue its use until the latter part of Apri. The of its use until the latter part of Apri. The of-fensive discharge decreased at once and the bardness around the cancer disappeared. It improved my general health and I rapidly gained fiesh and strength. The discharge g adually decreased and the cancer became less and less in size until nothing remains except a car to tell the ta's of a once danger. ton city in 1858, where I often saw him preside with such splendid ability and courtly bearing as vice-president over the United States senate.—Thomas D. Jeffress in Philadelphia Times.

Consequently bearing as vice-president over the United States senate.—Thomas D. Jeffress in Philadelphia Times.

Consequently bearing as vice-president over the law of the use of B. B. B. bear testimony to my great improvement and the scar on my face shows that it cannot say what it is recommended, and I cannot say the content of this wonderful mellitoo much in praise of this wonderful medi-cine. I have tried them all, but B. B. B. stands at the top as a blood purifier.

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Athens, who had a bad career, and his numer ous friends thought that he could not live very long as the cancer was gradually sap-ping the foundation of his constitution, but now looks well and hearty."

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The Piecer Tex Bit:

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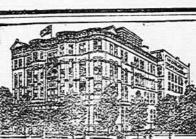
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